(*h*) That he agrees that such timber as may not be paid for before the 15th May 1915 shall lapse to Government.

(*i*) That he agrees to abide by the rules of the Forest Department, as regards kindling of fires and hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees and workmen.

(*j*) That he agrees to the cancellation of the contract and the forfeiture of his deposit for breach of any of the terms of the contract.

(*k*) That he agrees to coppice all teak trees other than those marked as standards.

(*l*) That he agrees to coppice all trees cut for fuel.

3. No entry into the State Forest will be allowed between 15th February to end of April 15th. Timber not removed by the 15th February 1915 will be permitted for removal only from end of April to 15th May.

B. V. RAMAIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

THE EPIDEMIC DISEASES HOSPITAL, THE WARDS FOR INCURABLE PATIENTS AND THE GOVERNMENT LEPER ASYLUM, BANGALORE CITY.

Abstract Notification dated 3rd November 1916.

The attention of the public is invited to pages 811 and 812 of Part IV of the *Mysore Gazette* Notification calling for tenders for the supply, by contract, of articles of diet required for the use of the Epidemic Diseases Hospital, the Wards for incurable patients and the Government Leper Asylum, Bangalore City, for the year 1917.

F. FERNANDES,
Superintendent, Epidemic Diseases Hospital and Government Leper Asylum.

GOVERNMENT STATIONERY DEPOT, BANGALORE.

ECONOMY IN THE USE OF PAPER.

Dated 24th October 1916.

The attention of Heads of Departments, and of all officers and officials using Government paper, is drawn to a notice issued by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to the effect that most of the available supply of bleaching powder in the United Kingdom is being requisitioned for military purposes and that the supplies of this article to the paper mills in this country will, therefore, be severely restricted.

As this is likely to result in a great shortage in the manufacture of white paper in this country, it is requested that the use of white paper be reduced to the utmost.

The Superintendent of Stationery requests that old book covers and file boards should be sent to the Press, instead of being destroyed, so that, wherever possible, they may be rejuvenated.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT STATIONERY DEPOT.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF WRITING, PRINTING AND OTHER PAPERS.

Notice dated 6th November 1916.

Sealed tenders for the supply of writing, printing and other papers, required for the Government of Mysore, during the official year 1917-18 (commencing from 1st July 1917), will be received by the Superintendent of Stationery, Mysore Government, at his office at Bangalore, up to 1 P.M., on Monday 15th January 1917.

2. Tenders should be superscribed "Tender for the supply of writing, printing and other papers," and should be accompanied by samples and a receipt for a sum of Rs. 500, as earnest money deposited in any of the Mysore State Treasuries, or in the Bank of Mysore, Bangalore, or the Bank of Madras, Madras or Bangalore, or Messrs. Coutts & Co., London. No cash or currency notes will be accepted as earnest money. Earnest money will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

3. Samples of the required papers used by the Government of Mysore can be seen at the Mysore Government Stationery Depot, Bangalore, any day, except Sundays and holidays, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., or samples of the standard papers may be had on application to the Superintendent of Stationery, Mysore Government, Bangalore.

4. The successful tenderers will be required to execute a security bond in the prescribed form on 8 annas Mysore Government Stamp paper and to deposit a security of five per cent on the value of papers for which the tender is accepted for the due fulfilment of the contract. This security may be in Government of India Pro-notes endorsed to the Dewan of Mysore, or in Mysore Government Savings Bank deposits made under para 9 of the Savings Bank Rules.

5. The schedule annexed hereunder shows probable requirements; and the quantities shown are only approximate. *Should additional supplies be required during the year, beyond the quantities stated in the tender form, contractors must be prepared to furnish such additional supplies at their tendered rates.* The contractors will be bound to make good to Government any loss which may arise from their failure to supply in time and thus put Government to the necessity of purchasing the articles specified in the contracts in the local Market at higher rates than those contracted for.

6. The contractors must make deliveries of papers, within three months from the date of orders from the Superintendent of Stationery, in quantities as may be required by him from time to time. It shall be in the discretion of the Superintendent to extend the time for such delivery, on reasonable cause being shown. All supplies will be subject to strict examination by the Superintendent of Stationery. Papers not up to quality and sample will be rejected and will remain at the risk of the contractors. *All papers must be entirely free from mechanical wood.*

7. Payments for papers supplied will be made on bills to be furnished in duplicate after acceptance by the Superintendent of Stationery, such payments, falling due on or after 1st July 1917.

8. Tenders must be submitted on forms which can be had on application to the Superintendent of Stationery.

9. Tenders must specify the rate at which the tenderers agree to supply. These rates must include baling, shipping, carriage, and all other charges up to delivery at the City Railway Station, Bangalore.

10. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent at his office at 3 P.M., on Monday 15th January 1917, in the presence of such tenderers as may choose to attend.

11. All papers with the exception of items Nos. 8, 23, 24 and 25 of the schedule should be water-marked "Government of Mysore." The purchase of overmakes of water-marked paper cannot be guaranteed, and they should in no case exceed *ten per cent of the ordered quantity*, but the contractors must bind themselves not to sell at any time such water-marked papers to the outside public.

12. The Superintendent reserves the right of rejecting any tender in whole or in part without assigning any reason therefor.

Schedule of Papers required for 1917-18 commencing from 1st July 1917.

No.	Names of papers			Approximate quantity required
				Reams
1	M. M. Azure laid Royal 44 lbs.	... 19½″×23½″	In flat reams of 480 sheets per ream.	50
2	Do Medium 32 lbs. ...	... 22″×18″		100
3	Do Foolscap 15 lbs. ...	... 13¼″×16½″	480 sheets per ream, edges to be cut and folded.	600
4	Do Double Foolscap 26 lbs. ...	... 17″×27″	In flat reams of 480 sheets per ream.	500
5	Do Quad Foolscap 52 lbs. ...	... 34″×27″		250
6	Cream laid Foolscap 10 lbs.	... 13¼″×16½″	480 sheets per ream, to be folded neatly.	10,000
7	Blotting paper, Pink, Demy 24 lbs. ...	... 17½″×22½″		250
8	Brown Cartridge 45 lbs.	... 22½″×29″		1,500
9	Badamy Royal 16 lbs.	... 25″×20″		500
10	Do Demy 16 lbs.	... 17½″×22½″		5,000
11	Do Foolscap 16 lbs.	... 13½″×17″		100
12	Do Double Foolscap 18 lbs. ...	... 17″×27″		500
13	Do Cartridge Demy 48 lbs.... ...	... 18″×22″		20
14	Printing Super Royal 25 lbs. ...	... 22″×29″		50
15	Do Royal 25 lbs	... 20″×25″		300
16	Do Double Royal 50 lbs.	... 40″×25″	To be supplied flat, 500 sheets per ream.	100
17	Do Double Crown 36 lbs.	... 30″×20″		150
18	Do Demy 18 lbs.	... 17½″×22½″		4,000
19	Do do 24 lbs.	... do		100
20	Do Double Foolscap 24 lbs. ...	... 17″×27″		3,000
21	Do Quad Foolscap 48 lbs. ...	... 34″×27″		1,000
22	Do do 18 lbs. ...	... 17″×27″		4,000
23	Marble paper Royal 32 lbs.	... 20″×25″	... ...	20
24	Litho Printing Royal 50 lbs. and 25 lbs. ...	... 25″×20″	... ...	20
25	Art cover papers of assorted colors in Royal, Double Demy and Double Crown sizes, samples to be submitted.			50
26	Manilla Double Demy 60 lbs.	... 22½″×35″	... ...	10

Remarks.—(1) Items Nos. 1 to 7, 9 to 22 to be water-marked "Government of Mysore."

(2) Item No. 6 should be neatly baled in good and strong gunny and supplied as under:—
90 bales of 50 reams each.
85 bales of 40 reams each.
70 bales of 30 reams each.

(3) Item No. 8 should be supplied in bales of 4 reams each, strongly baled in good gunny.

C. H. YATES,
Superintendent of Stationery.